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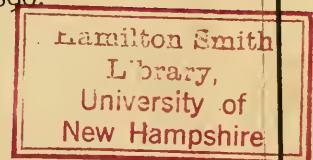
ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF
SHARON, N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEB. 15, 1897.

AND

INVOICE AND TAXES

TAKEN APRIL 1, 1896.



PETERBORO':
TRANSCRIPT OFFICE, JOHN SCOTT, PROPRIETOR.
1897.

James W. Fitzgerald	1	1	50	1	75
John F. Fitzgerald	1	1	00	3	56
Stephen J. Fitzgerald	1	1	00	1	78
Daniel Fish	48	Home farm.	100	1	78
"	40	Chapman place.	100	1	78
Harry Ferguson	1	1	200	1	78
Simeon C. Green	280	Home farm.	200	1	78
James Green	108	Home farm.	100	1	78
Daniel M. Green	1	175	100	30	32
Silas S. Green	58	Home farm.	100	30	32
Albert C. Green	60	Home farm.	100	30	32
Paul Greenleaf	120	Home farm.	100	30	32
William H. Hardy	"	26 Simonds pasture.	100	30	32
Calvin A. Hurd	1	2 Home place.	100	30	32
Hannah Hadley	75	75 Late homestead, R. Bosley oe'l.	100	30	32
" Sam'l W. Nichols, Guard	70	70 Esther Taggart place.	100	30	32
" "	50	50 Formerly David Perham land.	100	30	32
Labon Naas	1	1	100	1	78
James G. Lawrence	1	100 Home farm.	100	1	78
Lydia A. Pevey	1	10 Home place.	100	1	78
Samuel O. Ryan	1	10 J. Ryan land.	100	1	78
" "	4	4 Sanders land.	100	1	78
Wallace W. Richardson	1	100 Home farm.	100	1	78
Milton A. Richardson	1	1	100	1	78
Linwood L. Richardson	1	135 Home farm.	100	1	78
B. H. Sanders	1	15 Sawyer land.	100	1	78
George Stratton	90	90 Home farm.	100	1	78
Annie E. Stratton	1	1	100	1	78
Charles Smith	1	1	100	1	78
James Smith	1	37 Home place.	100	1	78
William Thomas	1	6 Sanders land.	100	1	78
" "	30	30 Ryan land.	100	1	78
David Wilson's estate	250	250	350	1	78

RESIDENT	INVOICE AND RATES	—1896—	Description		Value	Horses	Oxen	Cows	Value	Value	Sheep	Value	Money	Stock in Trade	Mills of Methemery	Total Value	Reduced Value	State, Co., Town and School Taxes
			No. Acres	Polls														
David Wilson's estate	"	90	Shed lot	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	1 50	5 34
"	"	90	Walton land	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	1 50	5 34
S Conant land	"	8	Conant land	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	08	28
Thomas J. Wilson	"	1	125 Home farm	.....	750	2	65	.....	2	55	2	8	.....	.....	978	4 89	17 41
"	"	50	late homestead of David Wilson	.....	350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	1 75	6 23
Peter J. Wilson	"	1	60 Home farm	.....	350	1	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	510	2 55	9 08
Sarah Worcester	"	29	Home place	.....	275	1	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	295	1 48	5 27
Daniel P. Worcester	"	1	1 Home place	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	1	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	1 00	3 56
George Wright	"	1	60 Donovan farm	.....	300	.....	.....	1	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	420	2 10	7 48
Charles S. Wilkins	"	1	110 Clark farm	.....	500	8	750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	88	3 13
Wilkins & Divoll	"	17	Royce land	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	3250	16 25
"	"	17	Wood and lumber	.....	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	13	46
Preston & Emory	"	10	2 houses & 2 barns, near saw mill	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	12 50	44 50
"	"	6	Land and mill	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	1 25	4 45
"	"	120	Thayer land and buildings	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	800	21 36
"	"	100	N Gowing woodland and pasture	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	2 00	7 12
"	"	50	Ryan land	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	1 50	5 34
"	"	125	A. Wright pine timber & pasture	.....	550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	1 00	3 56
"	"	8	Reuben Taylor land	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	550	2 75	9 79
															25	13	46	

NON-RESIDENT		No. Acres	Description	Value	Mills of Milliner's	Total Value	Reduced Value	and School Taxes
INVOICE AND RATES								
	1896							
Thomas Annett		80	Part of lots Nos. 23 and 24	700	12	46	700	3
" " "		87	Pasturing and woodland formerly owned by James Newell	500	8	90	500	2
" " "		36	Land, wood and timber formerly owned by Frederick Livingston	1000	17	80	1000	5
Prescott Barrett.		22	Pasturing formerly owned by O. Goodell.	100	1	78	100	50
Josiah Brackett's heirs.		40	Part of late homestead	175	88	3	175	88
" " "		175	Part of late homestead and Haynes pasture	550	550	2	550	75
" " "		26	Betsy Pier land	200	200	1	200	00
" " "		60	Jacobs pasture	150	150	1	150	75
Brackett, Wood & Clark.		90	Pasturing formerly owned by Reuben Taylor	400	400	2	400	00
James Bardsey		40	Pasturing formerly owned by J. D. Morse	250	250	1	250	25
Burton & Holt.		16	Land and timber formerly owned by Jesse Holton	175	175	1	175	88
Maria Bagley.		7	Bagley place	75	75	1	75	35
Edward T. Bryant.		70	Nathan Moore farm	500	500	2	500	50
S. W. Bass.		60	Part of Sullivan Shedd farm	450	450	2	450	25
James B. Bond.		100	Thomas McCoy farm	500	500	2	500	50
Joel T. Brackett.		5	Land formerly owned by Mrs. Cilley	40	40	20	40	71
" " "		120	John McCoy farm	500	500	2	500	50
Gideon Beck's estate.		20	Land and buildings and spring mill privilege	800	800	4	800	00
Everett D. Burr.		75	J. E. Bailey farm	800	800	4	800	00
Cheshire Improvement Co		36	Meadow and woodland formerly owned by Houghton & Brooks	125	125	125	125	63
John Cragin.		120	Pasturing formerly owned by John McCoy	600	600	3	600	300
Oscar H. Child.		2	House and land formerly owned by G. B. Smith	300	300	1	300	50
E. B. Carroll.		10	Land and buildings formerly owned by D. P. Emory	250	250	1	250	45
James Dyer.		40	Dyer place	300	300	1	300	50

NON-RESIDENT		No. Acres	Description	Value	Mills of Machimery	Total Valuation	Reduced Value	State, Co., Town and School Taxes
INVOICE	AND RATES							
—1896—								
Deroestus P. Emory	.....	200	Ryan farm	900	4	50	16 02	
"	90	Part of farm formerly owned by James Newell		350	1	75	6 23	
"	50	Part of farm place.....		100	1	50	1 78	
"	136	Farm formerly owned by G. S. Nielholas.....		300	1	50	5 34	
"	20	Wood and timber, part of Young farm		125	1	25	2 24	
"	40	Pasturing formerly owned by James Newell.....		175	1	75	3 13	
"	90	Part of Sullivan Shedd farm.....		300	1	50	5 34	
"	12	Pasturing formerly owned by Mary P. Towne.....		50	1	25	8 89	
"	95	Pasturing and pine timber formerly owned by Harvey Sawyer.....		500	1	50	8 90	
"	120	Handy pasture.....		400	1	00	7 12	
"	89	Livingston pasture.....		225	1	63	5 80	
"	16	Mowing and woodland formerly owned by J. D. Morse.....		35	1	18	6 64	
"	10	Elisha Frederick place.....		40	1	40	20 71	
"	40	Pasturing formerly owned by Luther Sherman.....		200	1	00	3 56	
"	120	Pasturing formerly owned by B. H. Sanders.....		200	1	00	3 56	
"	30	Part of Donovan farm.....		150	1	75	2 67	
"	60	Cleary farm.....		300	1	50	5 34	
"	50	Sherman pasture formerly owned by M. Fitzgerald.....		400	1	00	7 12	
"	100	Pasturing formerly owned by M. Fitzgerald.....		300	1	50	5 34	
Herbert Follett's heirs	.....	30	Land known as Watson meadow.....	30	1	50	5 33	
William Foster	.....	700	Pasturing and meadow known as Colson farm.....	700	3	50	12 45	
M. L. & T. A. Green	.....	650	Pasturing adjoining the Esther Taggart place.....	650	3	25	11 57	
George S. Gibson	.....	1100	Farm formerly owned by W. H. Wilson.....	1100	5	50	19 58	
J. F. Gleason	.....	100	Part of Gleason farm.....	100	1	75	10 00	

N. Hutchinson.....	88	Pasturing formerly owned by Benjamin Baker.....
" "	60	Fletcher pasture.....
Lyman Hall.....	75	Part of Spaulding farm.....
Helen Hood.....	57	Land in lots Nos. 18 and 19.....
Rodney A. Hubbard.....	2	Garfield land.....
N. A. Hale & Son.....	70	Pasturing formerly owned by Wirling Gragg.....
Josiah Haynes' heirs.....	96	Pasturing known as Spofford place.....
F. B. Haynes' heirs.....	50	Livingston pasture formerly owned by J. Reed.....
" "	100	Pasturing formerly owned by Joseph McCoy.....
Bernard Hamill.....	36	Pasturing formerly owned by Samuel Nay.....
Marshall Kimball.....	60	Pasturing formerly owned by Josiah Flisk.....
James Laws' heirs.....	1	Laws place.....
W. W. Munkittrick.....	100	Part of Sawyer farm.....
Byron E. Martin.....	70	Pasturing formerly owned by J. B. Shedd.....
Daniel Murphy.....	13	Meadow and woodland formerly owned C. A. Whitney.....
A. J. Proctor.....	(One horse, \$25.)	(One horse, \$25.)
K. Palmer.....	40	Pasturing and woodland formerly owned by D. P. Emory.....
Addison Pierce.....	13	Woodland and woodland formerly owned by J. Josiah Pierce.....
David Perlman's heirs.....	100	Marshall farm, so called.....
Frank W. Preston.....	40	Land, wood and timber formerly owned by James Taggart.....
Prescott & Taylor.....	80	Hosmer pasture.....
William H. Roff.....	12	Land formerly owned by Paul Moore.....
Daniel Robbins.....	80	Land formerly owned by John Robbins.....
William E. Robbins.....	100	Pasturing adjoining land of H. M. Smith.....
Albert Sawyer.....	37	Part of lot in first range.....
" "	24	Pasturing formerly owned by Cummings Sawyer.....
Alfred Sawyer.....	5	Meadow formerly owned by J. Sawyer.....
" "	50	Pasturing formerly owned by Wirling Gragg.....
Jerome B. Shedd.....	64	Pasturing and mowing adjoining Peterboro south-line.....
John B. Shedd.....	100	Shedd farm.....
" "	14	Land, wood and timber adjoining land of David Wilson.....
Henry M. Smith.....	130	Eastman pasture.....
Holt & Spofford.....	45	Pasturing formerly owned by Luther Tarbell.....
Ida M. Spaulding.....	20	Steele place.....
Luther Tarbell's heirs.....	100	Lot No. 16 in first range.....
	300	
	375	
	350	
	375	
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	300	

NON-RESIDENT INVOICE AND RATES —1896—	No. Acres	Description	Mills of Machinery		
			Total Value	Reduced Value	State Co., Town and School Taxes
Herbert Wetherby.....	85	Pasturing adjoining Jaffrey east-line.....	200	100	3 56
Charles N. Wilson.....	6	Land formerly owned by D. O. Wilson.....	75	38	1 35
A. C. Wheelwright.....	85	Pasturing adjoining Peterboro south-line.....	500	250	8 90
" "	140	Pasturing known as David Upton farm.....	600	300	10 68
" "	76	Meadow and woodland formerly owned by O. J. Nutting.....	400	200	7 12
" "	150	Hiram Morse farm.....	700	350	12 46
George Washburn's heirs.	30	Pasturing adjoining land of Marshall Kimball.....	200	100	3 56
Henry Wood	52	Pasturing formerly owned by P. B. Taggart.....	400	200	7 12
Marcus Wilson	10	Nichols meadow formerly owned by William H. Hardy.....	75	38	1 35
Fred S. Whittmore	120	A. J. Proctor farm.....	600	300	10 68
David O. Wilson.....	20	Holton land.....	50	25	

The above and foregoing is an invoice of all the estate liable to be taxed in the town of Sharon on the first day of April, 1896, as resident and non-resident, taken by us in said month of April, and the assessment of taxes thereon.

Witness our hands this 18th day of April, A. D., 1896.

JAMES GREEN,
JAMES F. DILLON,
JOHN F. FITZGERALD, } Selectmen
of
Sharon.

We, the Selectmen of the Town of Sharon, do solemnly swear that in making the invoice for the purpose of assessing the foregoing taxes we appraised all taxable property at its just full value, and as we would appraise the same if in payment of a just debt due from a solvent debtor. So help us God.

JAMES GREEN,
JAMES F. DILLON,
JOHN F. FITZGERALD. } Selectmen
of
Sharon.

Hillsborough, SS. Sharon, April 18th, 1896.—Then the foregoing Selectmen took and subscribed the above oath. Before me,

B. H. SANDERS, Justice of the Peace,

RECAPITULATION.

Total valuation for 1896, \$29,201 00
Amount of taxes on one hundred dollars property, 1 78
Amount of taxes assessed upon the Polls and Estates of Residents
April 1st, is as follows:

State, County, Town, School and Highway, 667 25
Non-Resident, State, County, Town, School and Highway, 554 70

The amount of money raised for 1896 is as follows:

For State tax,	155 00
For County tax,	150 41
For schools,	250 00
For town charges,	300 00
For highways,	250 00
For repairing school houses,	30 00
For poor,	15 00
For reference books,	6 00
For text books,	12 00
For town library,	15 00
For cemeteries,	15 00
Over lay.	33 54

Total. 1,231 95

TREASURER'S REPORT.

B. H. SANDERS, Treasurer, charges the Town by paying money as follows:

1896.

March	Dr. Allen, returning births in Sharon for 1894 and 1895 (4 births),	1 00
	25, C. A. Hurd, on order,	32 27
April	3, James F. Dillon, services as selectman, 1895,	14 00
	9, John Scott, printing reports,	17 00
	11, Peter J. Wilson, order (supervisor),	2 55
	11, Treasurer for 1895, balance due on settlement, Feb. 15, 1896.	3 54
	15, Balance due on C. A. Hurd's order,	14 66
	18, Abatement of taxes for 1893:	
	James H. Durant, paid in Hancock,	2 32
	Charles E. Durant, left town,	8 3
	J. G. Lawrence, paid at Peterboro,	1 66
	J. B. Hathaway, left town,	1 66
	E. C. Smith, " "	1 66
	James Molstay, " "	1 66
	H. W. Lewis, " "	16
May	Thomas J. Wilson, road bill,	5 85
	Charles Bass, " "	8 71
	James Dillon, " "	9 49
	P. D. Fitzgerald, labor on road in summer 1895,	6 08
	P. D. Fitzgerald, snow bill,	23 85
	J. F. Fitzgerald, " "	4 00
	James Green,	6 37
	James Green, case for selectmen's books,	4 00
	B. H. Sanders, snow bill,	5 76
	S. C. Green, snow bill for 1895,	3 15
	Hannah Hadley, use of watering tub, 1894 and 1895,	4 00
	Nelson Bosley, labor on road,	1 50
	John Bauvais, housing road machine, 1894 and 1895,	4 00
	J. H. Steele for collector's book,	85

May	S. O. Ryan, snow bill, 7, On note at Peterboro bank,	4 05 100 00
June	26, Charles Bass, on school order, For washing school house, On order of C. A. Hurd, (No. 8, 1895),	45 00 1 50 5 00
July	4, On order of C. A. Hurd, (No. 8, 1895), C. A. Hurd, on school order, 1896,	7 75 32 25
Aug.	1, P. D. Fitzgerald, on road order, 5, George Stratton, on year's interest, due him, 10, Peter J. Wilson, on school order, 17, County tax, Balance due on note at bank, and interest, Correction due treasurer on money paid Dec. 28 to Peterboro bank, \$50.00 is charged and \$60.00 credited on note, 24, P. D. Fitzgerald, balance due on order,	200 00 12 00 45 00 150 44 67 60 10 00 22 18
	Abatements of H. M. Kendall's tax for 1887, 1888, 1889,	1 19 1 31 1 27 3 77
	American Book Co., for school books, Expense of sending, Maynard, Merrill & Co., for books, Expense of sending,	11 76 12 5 07 10
Oct.	23, Charles Bass, on school order, 28, " " " "	38 00 9 00
Nov.	4, C. A. Hurd, on school order, Peter J. Wilson, on school order, " " " " " " supervisor, 13, F. G. Clarke, insurance of library, 24, P. D. Fitzgerald, order repairing roads, Board of Education, Peterboro, 23 writing books, James Green, bill,	50 75 38 00 9 00 4 00 2 00 34 54 1 10 18 50
Dec.	11, Mrs. George Stratton, on note of George Stratton, against town, Interest due on the same,	200 00 4 55
1897.		
Jan.	4, Lydia A. Peavey, order, State tax, James Green, expenses to Concord,	2 55 155 00 3 00

Feb.	Board of Education, Jaffrey, for tuition of scholars from Sharon,	6 60
	For pens, paper, pencils, etc., for schools,	2 09
	For reference books, (3 dictionaries),	3 75
	Expenses on sending and express on dic- tionaries,	40
Feb. 16, P. D. Fitzgerald, order,	3 00	
James Green, bill breaking roads,	2 70	

Abatement of taxes for 1894: -

James Durant,	1	61	
Henry Fassett,	1	61	
C. H. Hartwell,	2	25	
E. J. Higgins,	1	61	
M. J. Higgins,	1	61	
Ned Higgins,	1	61	
James G. Lawrence,	1	61	
Joseph A. Wilson,	1	61	
 Joseph Blakey, breaking roads,	7	87	
Charles Bass, " "	2	10	
Fred Bass,	1	20	
John Fitzgerald, (running lines),	3	00	
James Dillon, " "	5	00	
S. O. Ryan, shoveling snow,		45	
James Dillon, road bill,	2	25	
James Green, services as selectman,	27	00	
James Dillon, " " "	14	00	
John Fitzgerald, " " "	13	00	
B. H. Sanders, town clerk,	12	00	
" " treasurer,		12	00
" " school committee,		8	00
" " health officer,		1	00
" " snow bill,		2	40
C. A. Hurd, auditor,	1	00	
S. O. Ryan, "	1	00	
Stephen Fitzgerald, "	1	00	
Silas S. Green, collector,	24	63	
" " supervisor,	2	00	
C. A. Hurd, for cleaning school house and for glass,	2	25	
E. D. Burr, use of watering tub,	3	00	

Amount of money paid,

1,628 40

Money received, 1896:

Apr.	18, Of Collector for 1893,	19 68
Aug.	1, Sarah A. Worcester, (borrowed),	200 00
	5, George Stratton, "	100 00
	15, Silas S. Green, coll. 1896,	183 00
Oct.	17, " " " "	100 00
Nov.	" " " "	122 00
	10, " " " "	100 00
	28, " " " "	97 00
Dec.	Of Board of Education of New Ipswich, for tuition of scholars,	5 00
1897.		
Jan.	Savings bank tax,	70 07
	Literary fund,	18 90
Feb.	6, Collector for 1894, by cash and abatements,	63 40
	" 1895,	412 95
	" 1896,	165 00
	Dog licenses,	13 02
		— 1,670 40
	Total amount paid out,	1,628 40
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	Balance due the town,	42 00

B. H. SANDERS, Treasurer.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and the vouchers therefor and find them fully vouched for.

C. A. HURD,
 S. O. RYAN,
 STEPHEN FITZGERALD, } Auditors.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

The following is a correct account of all money paid out by me for the year ending Feb. 15, 1897.

Paid J. F. Fitzgerald,	76 50
P. D. Fitzgerald,	33 30
S. J. Fitzgerald,	5 55
J. W. Fitzgerald,	3 60
Raymond Bosley,	12 25
William Russell,	2 40
Fred Bass,	2 70
P. J. Wilson,	7 65
M. A. Richardson,	4 80
George Wright,	14 10
<i>Charles Bass</i>	17 00
D. P. Emory,	19 87
Daniel Worcester,	3 00
W. Richardson,	75
A. C. Green,	14 10
James Green,	36 59
For dynamite,	2 58
For spikes,	2 96

For which I have received the following sums :

July 9, 1896, Selectmen's order,	222 18
Oct. 17, " " "	34 54
Feb. 13, 1897, " " "	3 00
	259 72

P. D. FITZGERALD, Road Agent.

The uncollected taxes at this date amount to	597 00
Notes against the town,	300 00
Balance in favor of town if taxes are all collected,	297 00

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL REPORT.

Number of scholars registered,	30
Average daily attendance,	25
Number of weeks school,	44
Average length of terms,	8
Average wages per month,	\$20.00

B. H. SANDERS.

MARRIAGES IN SHARON, 1896.

Fred F. Bass to Ethel Baldwin.

BIRTHS IN SHARON, 1896.

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Dillon.

DEATHS IN SHARON, 1896.

Sarah A. Worcester, 5 months.

George Stratton, 78 years, 5 months, 13 days.

B. H. SANDERS, Town Clerk.

